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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1900.

## Republican Ticket.

### NATIONAL.

For President—WILLIAM MCKINLEY, of Ohio.

For Vice President—THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.

### STATE.

For Secretary of State—L. C. LAYLIN, of Huron.

For Supreme Judge—JOHN A. SHAUCK, of Montgomery.

For School Commissioner—L. D. BONEBRAKE, of Knox.

For Member Board of Public Works—CHARLES A. GODDARD, of Scioto.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner—JOSEPH E. BLACKBURN, Belmont.

### CONGRESSIONAL.

For Congressman, 15th district—H. C. VANVOORHIS, of Muskingum.

The death Wednesday of Mr. E. P. Ruhrah, of Chillicothe, Travelling Freight Agent of the B. & O. S. W. railroad, is a very sad and shocking affair; and comes with suddenness, too, for Mr. Ruhrah was only recently in Marietta. The death was due to bladder trouble, which necessitated an operation.

Mr. Ruhrah enjoyed a wide acquaintance in Marietta and was most favorably known as an affable, wide-awake business man, who always conserved the interest of his railroad.

## America's Lesson to the World.

Yesterday was a great day for Cuba. For months the whole island has been in a ferment of excitement over the promised excursion of teachers to the United States, and yesterday two big United States transports left Havana with over a half thousand instructors. The bay was filled with craft loaded with sightseers and bands played merrily as the big Sedgwick and the Crook steamed away for the north. Two thousand friends and residents of the city were at the docks to see the party leave. The transports were to stop at several other island ports to take on additional excursionists, the total number of teachers selected for the trip being 1,450. The Sedgwick on leaving Havana, had only women teachers aboard, 310 of them, while 265 male teachers were on the Crook. This excursion has been referred to previously in the Dispatch as being without a parallel in the history of the world. The teachers are to have all their expenses paid by the United States government and the big-hearted officers of Harvard university. For three months they are to be taught at the university summer school and in the meantime are to be treated as honored guests, showered with attentions, taken on excursions and shown the glories that lie beneath the floating banner of liberty. This remarkable enterprise was planned by Alexis Everett Fry, superintendent of the Cuban schools. The idea of such an expedition dawned upon him shortly after he assumed charge of the educational system of Cuba. He had no trouble in enlisting the hearty co-operation of General Leonard Wood and the entire faculty of Harvard university. Secretary Root showed his approval of the project by setting apart for the transportation of the visitors the five largest transports in the service. The good people of Cambridge have not fallen to the rear of the procession, but have entered heartily into the plans for the entertainment of the guests. Excursions to the national capital, to Niagara Falls, to New York and elsewhere have already been planned. New York is now raising a fund of \$1,000 for their entertainment and in brief, everybody has vied with everybody else in completing elaborate preparations for the comfort and pleasure of the islanders.—Columbus Dispatch.

## How to Keep Cool.

I have a stove in my room. In winter it gets very hot. I examined it the other day and found that it was refreshingly cool, in fact as cool as the proverbial cucumber. I have no trouble in keeping it in that condition. The reason is that I do not put any fuel into it. A human being is like a stove. He is a walking furnace. Put fuel into him and he will burn it up and create heat, just as surely as when you put in into a stove and apply a match. In winter time the fuel is needed, because the exterior temperature is far below the temperature of the body. In summer time scarcely any is needed because the outside air keeps the body warm. But most people keep shoveling in fuel, just as if the temperature was below freezing. They either do not know how to slow down the fires in the body or they think that the pleasures of swallowing fuel compensates for the extra sweltering that follows. The discomfort of the heated term is all your own fault. Go to the cucumber, thou sweeter, consider its ways and be wise. Shed your clothes and shut off the fuel and you will be cool.—The Wooden Indian in Pittsburg Times.

## Dr. Gibson's Confession a Fake

San Francisco, June 27.—Numerous inquiries have been received here from different parts of the country as to the correctness of a rumor that Rev. Dr. Gibson, pastor of the Emmanuel Baptist church in this city in 1895, had confessed that he and not W. H. Theodore Durrant was guilty of the murder of Blanche Lamont and Minnie Williams, who were killed in his church in April of that year.

The rumors of a confession are entirely without foundation. Dr. Gibson remains silent as to the crimes for which Durrant was executed.

Rumors of the alleged confession of Dr. Gibson have been going the rounds of the country press for a couple of months. Lately they have been taken up by newspapers in some of the large cities.

The crime was remarkable. Blanche Lamont went to school from the home of her aunt in San Francisco April 3, 1895. She was not again seen alive. For 10 days a search was kept up for the missing girl. Women were decorating the Emmanuel Baptist church for Easter services about this time, when they came upon the almost nude body of Minnie Williams in the pastor's library. Minnie Williams had been a schoolmate of Blanche Lamont. Both attended Sunday School at the Emmanuel church, where Durrant, then a medical student, was superintendent.

Suspicion fell upon Durrant. He had been seen with Miss Williams on the day of her murder. Search for Blanche Lamont was begun anew and her nude body was found in the belfry of the Emanuel church. Durrant was accused of both murders. They were similar. Both girls had been criminally assaulted before being killed. Durrant was indicted and on July 22 placed on trial for the murder of Blanche Lamont. November 1 the jury brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. Dr. Gibson was an important witness at the trial. The evidence was all circumstantial.

Durrant was sentenced to be hanged and the day of execution set five different times. His appeals were fought through the courts, so that the execution did not take place until January 7, 1898.

To the last Durrant protested his innocence. He was cool and apparently unconcerned at his execution. Scarcely had he been executed when a doubt was thrown upon his guilt. Rumors of the discovery of evidence exonerating him have been current since that time.

## High Rentals in New York.

How valuable space is in Lower New York has often been discussed. There is practically no limit to the price that may be put on a small portion of Gotham real estate and atmosphere on Broadway south of Canal street, and the kind of business that requires a showing on the ground floor to attract customers as they pass has the hardest time of it. This is powerfully illustrated in a narrow room—a mere crack in the wall—lately opened as a quick-lunch restaurant on Broadway, near Trinity church. So confined is the apartment that there is no room for moving waiters, and not much for the guests. A line of tables, each with a square space in the middle, in which stands a young woman attendant, runs down the room for patrons to squeeze in and sit around them. At the edge of the space in which stands the girl is a row of electric buttons, each one marked with the name of some common consumption in quick luncheries, such as pork and beans, pie of various kinds sandwiches and so forth. The guest gives his order, the girl touches a button, and from below like a harlequin trick, springs up the particular dainty desired. In this way the manager of the place is able to feed hundreds of men in an hour or two in a room not much larger than a Harlem flat parlor, and he pays a rent for the privilege that would seem exorbitant were not one aware of the enormous business he does. In Park row, opposite the postoffice, there is a small hallway occupied as a branch store for a big cigar firm, which draws a rental equal to that of a large house uptown, and yet the cigar firm was glad to get it at any price.—New York Cor. Pittsburg Dispatch.

## Lee B. McFarland's Sentence Has Been Commuted.

Washington, June 22.—President McKinley has commuted the sentence of Lee B. McFarland, who was convicted in West Virginia in February, 1898, of embezzling the funds of a national bank, and was sentenced to five years imprisonment. Under the commutation the sentence will expire on the 21st of August next, on which date McFarland will have served two years and a half.

The commutation was urged by Judge Jackson, who says that few cases have appealed so strongly to his sympathy. Attorney General Griggs in his recommendation, says that as soon as the defalcation was discovered McFarland at once conveyed all his property to the bank, leaving his family destitute. The attorney general thinks that McFarland has been sufficiently punished, and that his suffering has been great.

The case is well known in West Virginia.

## Yesterday's Oil Market.

Texas	.....\$1.40
Pennsylvania	.....1.25
Barrenville	.....1.25
Corning	.....1.05
Newcastle	.....1.00
North Lima	......95
South Lima	......90
Indiana	......85

## RUSSIA VS. AMERICA.

### How American Oil Maintains Supremacy in the Petroleum Markets of the World.

In the early seventies petroleum was discovered in Russia, and when the Standard Oil company made its great improvements in the methods and processes of refining and completed its pipe-line transportation at an outlay of millions of dollars in experimentation and construction, European capitalists organized an immense syndicate and adopted all the improved methods of the Standard Oil company in developing the oil industry in Russia. They have increased the Russian production from 100,000 barrels in 1870 to 50,697,000 barrels in 1897, which is 15,331,100 barrels more than the total American output.

Thus, with the best American methods, developed at the cost of the experiments of American capital, and paying less than one-fourth American wages, and with the most fertile oil lands in the world, Russia has become an immense rival in the petroleum industry. The Russian government protects the Russian market by a 200 per cent duty, so that the Russian Oil company has a monopoly of the Russian market. It has cheaper labor and American productive methods to compete against the Standard Oil company in the rest of the world.

On the other hand, by its superior economy, large capital and highly developed management, the Standard Oil company has prevented Russian oil producers from supplying the American market. By the use of immense capital and efficient management the American producers, besides supplying the American market, in 1897 exported to the different countries of Europe, Asia and elsewhere, outside of Russia, 994,297,757 gallons of refined oil, which at the low prevailing price was equivalent to bringing \$59,057,574 in gold to this country. The exports for the last ten years have been as follows:

Year.	Gallons.	Dollars
1888.....	572,457,975	48,105,703
1889.....	680,705,458	52,293,299
1890.....	693,829,848	52,270,953
1891.....	673,950,577	46,174,835
1892.....	744,628,462	42,729,157
1893.....	871,757,017	41,117,814
1894.....	894,162,155	40,488,088
1895.....	853,126,130	56,223,425
1896.....	931,785,022	62,764,278
1897.....	994,297,757	59,057,574

Here, then, is a concern which, by the power of its large capital, gives employment to 35,000 American laborers, pays \$100,000 a day in wages, and brings nearly \$60,000,000 of gold into the country every year, which would be lost to this country but for the economic energy and superiority of the Standard Oil company. Who would be benefited if this concern were forced to disband? Small refineries, such as those now outside the Standard, could not even hold the American market if subjected to competition with the Russians. Moreover, the Standard Oil company furnishes an unlimited cash market for every barrel of petroleum produced in this country.—Professor Gunton.

## Marriage at Belpre.

Wednesday evening, June 27th, at the home of the bride in Belpre occurred the marriage of Miss Ella Cook, youngest daughter of Mrs. Mary C. Cook, and Dr. Wallace Kinkead, of Nashville, Tenn. The wedding was a very quiet one—only a few relatives of the couple being present. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Harry Dail, pastor of the Belpre Congregational church.

Both bride and groom are well known in Marietta, the bride having relatives here, and the groom having for a number of years made Marietta his home. Their friends in Marietta will hasten to offer best wishes for the happiness of Dr. and Mrs. Kinkead.

Dr. Kinkead has only recently returned from the Philippines, where he was connected with the hospital branch of Uncle Sam's service.

## Death at Fleming.

Mrs. Nancy Perdew, wife of Luther Perdew, of Fleming, died June 25, at her home after an illness extending over a period of years, at the age of 69 years. She was a most estimable lady, and her friends were limited only by those who knew her. A husband, seven children, all living, twenty-eight grand and twenty great grandchildren survive her. The burial was at Tunnel the 26th.

## Mrs. Edward Glen.

The friends of Mr. Edward Glen, of Palmer township, will be pained to learn of the death of his wife Sunday, the 24th instant. The death was peculiarly sad, being incident to childbirth. A bright little daughter survives and promises well.

Mrs. Glen was Miss Nancy Drain before marriage and was a most highly esteemed lady. She was a daughter of Mr. Duncan Drain.

## Bound Over.

Jacob Born was arrested Tuesday evening at his home on Sugar Run by Constable Gilpin on the charge of trespassing and destruction of property. He was taken before Squire Richards Wednesday, waived examination and was bound over to the grand jury under bond of \$100 which he furnished and was released.

## New Fire Ladders.

Three new ladders for the city fire department arrived yesterday morning and are fine additions to the fire fighting outfit. One will be used on horse wagon No. 1 and the other two on the new wagon which is about completed.

## River News.

There is little more than four feet of water in the channel here and the river is falling. Yesterday's boats were the Greenwood from Pittsburg and Kanawha for Charleston in the afternoon and the Lorena for Pittsburg in the morning.

The regular boats for today are the Queen City for Cincinnati and Virginia for Pittsburg, but low water has hindered the operations of both packets and neither is running on regular time.

The Pittsburg Times says: The raising of the wickets and needles at Davis Island last Saturday has made the water in the pools rise slowly, but steadily, and it is expected that this morning the usual six-foot stage will be reached. The lower river is still falling and will continue to do so until the water begins going over the dam.

The new excursion steamer Francis J. Torrence, in making a landing yesterday at the Hudson wharf boat at the foot of Market street, had such a headway on that she struck the wharf boat and lifted it half out of the water. The outside of the wharf boat was stove in, but the staunchness of the Torrence prevented her from being injured.

The packet, Virginia, and the tow steamer, Charlie Hook, are still firmly stuck down the river, and the Olivette which was expected to loosen the Hook, shared a similar fate and is hard and fast aground also.

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## Real Estate Sales.

The following sales of real estate were closed yesterday by Geo. A. Hand and M. H. Hart:

House and lot on Columbia avenue, in Williamstown, W. Va., for Mrs. Alice A. Athey, to Mrs. Caroline J. Landers, of Marietta. Consideration \$1,500.

House and lot in same place for M. Richter to Mrs. Alice A. Athey. Consideration \$2,500.

A lot 48 1/2 by 200 feet, on Elm street, West Side, for Bess & Bros., of Corning, O., to Mrs. Caroline J. Landers and Mrs. Annie C. Flanders. Consideration \$750. They will erect a double house on this lot, modern in every respect, at an early date.

A house and lot on North Hart street for Judge Leeper to Mrs. Alice L. Clogston. Consideration \$1,350.

Casper Hopp has sold through G. B. Sunderland his lot between Third and Fourth streets, abutting Camp Tupper, and being 50 by 52 feet, to J. M. Hawkins. Consideration \$800. Mr. Hawkins will build at once.

Ed. Flanders sold the six room dwelling on Port street belonging to Mrs. Fannie Detzel to Mrs. Ann Harris, who will take possession August 1. Consideration \$2,400. Also a lot on upper Front street to W. S. Lancaster, who will erect a dwelling upon it at once. The lot is 34 by 120 feet. Consideration \$350.

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## C. R. Richardson's Report of Yesterday's Market.

Oil City Exchange, 3 p. m.—Cash oil unchanged, 1.32 offered. Credit balance 1.25.

New York Stock Exchange, 3 p. m.—Securities had a good strong tone at the opening today and are holding remarkably well considering the unsettled conditions abroad. The Grangers were the first to let go and then followed the Tractions. Steel stocks remained steady all day. Sugar quiet around 112.

Chicago Board of Trade, 1:15 p. m.—The pits were all crowded throughout the session and after the first break quotations scared upward. Wheat advancing three cents to 85 1/2 for August, but it broke sharply at the close to 84 1/2, closing at 84 1/2.

Corn was feverish and advanced to 44 1/2 for August, followed by pork which sold up to 13.05 and closed strong.

Cats today: Wheat, 90; corn, 51 1/2; oats, 22 1/2; hogs, 29.00.

## How Are Your Kidneys?

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## Kellner—Brown.

Mr. Edward Kellner, a well known employe of Patin Bros., and Miss Winifred Brown, were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride on Wooster street. Rev. Louis Landstille, the bride's uncle, performed the ceremony which made the happy couple man and wife. The wedding was a quiet one, only the relatives and near friends being present. Mr. and Mrs. Kellner will make their home in this city and many friends wish them a long and happy life.



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Charles W. Miller, of Cleveland, and Cora A. Hodgins, of Marietta. Rev. W. E. Roe.

George W. Barth, of Slicka, and Katie C. Wagner, of Dell. Rev. Wm. Kampmeier.

Edward Kellner and Winifred Brown, both of Marietta. Rev. Lewis Landstille.

Wilfred B. Nelson, of Williamstown, and Carrie E. Krigbaum, of Marietta. Rev. L. Kirtley.

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### Woodmen Returned.

The Modern Woodmen who went to Zanesville Tuesday to assist in initiating a big class of candidates and enjoy the good time prepared by the Zanesville lodge, returned home yesterday morning.

The local lodge was well represented there being about eighty members who made the trip. They were accompanied by a number of their friends. All report an enjoyable time. The Parkersburg delegation, also came down on the morning train and left at noon for home.

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